CONSPIRATOR CAREY

Tells of the Bloody Work of the Irish Invincibles at Curley's Trial.

Conflicting Testimony of the Informers-Curley Proving an Alibi.

Breach Occupation of Congo Creates a Sensation in Portugal and Elsewhere.

No. 1 and His Extradition Discussed American Cattle in Parliament.

wanted to have murdered.

In the evidence given by Smith there is a point of difference between his statement and that of James Carey as to the gate by which the latter left Phoenix park on May 6 last, A servant girl, employed at James Carey's house, was called to the witness stand and identified Curley as a man who frequently wisited her employer's house in company with other Invincibles.

Another girl swore she saw Curley in the

park on May 6.

James Carey's son was next placed on the stand. He swore that he saw his father and Curley in the vicinity of Dublin castle on the

day the murders were committed. day the murders were committed.

James Carey being called, testified that it was originally intended to lay on Mr. Burke's body a card on which were the words, "Executed by order of the Invincibles." Carey said he himself wrote a card for this purpose. The idea was not carried out, however, and

Curley afterward placed the card in the mail box of the Dublin Express.

Two constables, who testified that they saw Curley climbing over the fence of the park, somewhat broke down on their cross exami-nation and could not agree as to the part of the fence the prisoner went over. Being asked to indicate the spot on the map, they

pointed to places 350 yards apart.

There was also some conflict between the statements made by Smith and Kavanagh, who was also placed on the stand. Kavanagh alleged that Smith told him when they were in the park that the chief secretary was the object of their mission, while on the other hand Smith testified that he was ignorant of

The case for the crown was then closed with The close for the crown was then crossed with the taking of some formal police evidence. Dr. Webb, queen's counsel, opened the case for the defense. He compared James Carey to Titus Oates, who like Carey was induced to swear away the lives of innocent men in similar circumstances by a similar system of lavish rewards. Continuing, he said this plot was a plot with one conspirator, and that conspirator was James Carey. The young men of Ireland should take warning from the fact that nearly all the prisoners who have appeared at the bloody assize were mere boys. He said he was prepared to clearly establish the innocence of Curiey by proving

an alibi.

The first witness called by the defense was Peter Hanlon, father-in-law of Curley, and uncle of Joseph and Lawrence Hanlon, two of the conspiracy prisoners awaiting trial. He swore that Curley was in his company from 6 to 11 o'clock on the evening of May 6,

between which hours the murders occurred.

A plumber named Hopkins was the next witness. He said he saw Curley standing on the outside of a saloon at 6:45 o'clock on the evening of May 6. The barkeeper of the saloon swore that he served Curley at 6 o'clock that evening. On being cross-examined, however, he declined to swear that the sale entered on his books was made to Curley personally. The court then adjourned.

Mr. Adams will sum up for the defense to-morrow.

THE MALAGASSY ENVOYS.

LONDON, April 17.—A deputation composed of several members of parliament and other prominent men waited on the Malagassy cavoys yesterday and congratulated them on the satisfactory result of their visit to the United States, and expressed the hope that it would lead to an estente between the United States and Madagascar. The deputation also wished the envoys success in their negotia-tions with France. The chief envoy, in reply, spoke in warm praise of the kindness which the envoys received in America. As an in-stance of the interest of the United States government in the welfare of Madagascar, he cited its intention to promote its agent in Madagascar to the rank of consul.

GUARDED BY POLICE AND TROOPS. LONDON, April 17.—Queen Victoria left Windsor this morning for the royal residence at Osborne. Owing to the trouble her majesty experiences from her sprained knee, she was unable to walk and had to be lifted into her carriage. The route along which the queen passed was carefully guarded by police and

troops. WILL "NO. 1" BE EXTRADITED. LONDON, April 17.—In the house of com-mons to-night Sir Herbert Maxwell, conservative, asked whether it was true that Peter Tynan, the man who had been identified as "number one," was in New York, and whether his extradition would be demanded by the government. Lord E. Fitzmaurice, under secretary for foreign affairs, replied that Sir Herbert must give formal notice of the question before a reply could be given.

AN EXTRAORDINABY AFFIDAVIT. LONDON, April 18 .- The Daily Telegraph publishes an extraordinary affidavit of a clerk in the postal telegraph. He says that men whom he supposed to be Fenians accosted him and bandaged his eyes in a court near the Broad street railhim and bandaged his eyes in a court near the Broad street railisms way station. London, and compelled him under threats of his life to answer questions as to the whereabouts of the engines and the number and duties of persons employed in the central telegraph offices. He was afterward conveyed to Kingston and questioned by kir men some of whom were Americans. six men, some of whom were Americans. The clerk has a brother living in America. He says he does not know how the Fenians learned his name, which was the first excuse they gave for addressing him.

AMERICAN CATTLE IN PARLIAMENT. LONDON, April 17.—In the house of lords | de Lesseps' Panama canal is opened. last evening the Duke of Richmond, and Gor don, conservatives, moved that the papers concerning the foot and mouth disease among be presented to the house, and why the importation of cattle the United States, as well as France, was not prohibited. He the disease was more prevalent in the former country than in France. Lord Carlingsford, lord president of the council and minister of agriculture, denied that the disease was prevalent to a large extent in America. He said although it existed there wholesale prohibition of the importation of American cattle was not justified

FRENCH OCCUPATION IN CONGO. Lisson, April 17.—The Portuguese corvette Rainha de Portugal and the gunboat Riotejo have been ordered to Loanda

THE PRENCH OCCUPY APRICA Lisnon, April 17 .- In the chamber of depu-

tested against this setion to the cantested against this setton to the cap-tain of the Portuguess craser Benze, who made a formal protest to the French authorities. It is expected that a conflict with the French will follow, and that Mr. Henry M. Stanley will require a ship and forces for his protection. There had been no outbreak, however, up to the date of the dispatch. The minister of marine, replying to questions, explained that the occupied terri-tory lay northward of the Portuguese domin-

The captain of the Bengo, he said, had protested, owing to what he considered the irregular form of the occupation. The minister reminded the chamber that the French government had recently declared that it would respect the rights of Portugal.

London, April 17.—Advices from St. Vincent state that the Portuguese gunboat Douro

has gone to Loanda. UNEASINESS IN LONDON AND BERLIN. NEW YORK, April 17.—The World has the following special dispatch: London, April 17.—The message of the Emperor William to the Patches. Durlin, April 17.—The trial of Daniel
Curley was resumed this morning. Joseph
Smith, one of the prisoners who turned informer, was the first witness called to-day.

His evidence was merely a repetition of that
which he gave at the trial of Joe Brady. Peter
Carey, brother of James Carey, was next placed
on the stand. He testified that after Lord
Frederick Cavendish and Mr. Burke had been
murdered he was detailed to watch the movements of Kavanagh, the car driver, who it
was feared by the Invincibles would give information to the authorities, and who Curley
wanted to have murdered.

In the evidence given by Smith there is a
point of difference between his statement and

> ing not only the peace of the continent but the very existence of their own country. BASE BALL IN BALTIMORE.

> An Exciting Twelve Inning Game Between the Boston and Baltimore Nines.

Special Dispatch. BALTIMORE, April 17 .- The finest game of base ball played here for many years, was played this afternoon between the Boston and Baltimore clubs. It took twelve innings to decide the contest and Boston won by 6 to 4. There were but few errors on either side, but those made by the home team were more costly. The Baltimore led in batting, making cleven hits to their opponent's eight. Buffing-ton was batted out of position in the tenth in-

ning, and was succeeded by Whitney, who proved more effective.

The decision of the umpire in the twelfth inning, when Buffington struck a high fly to the right, calling it a base hit gave the Boston the game. The ball was clearly a foul, and much indignation was expressed at the de-

The score was as follows: BALTIMORE



INNINGS.

Left on bases—Boston, 3; Baltimore, 8.
Left on bases—Boston, 3; Baltimore, 2.
Double play—Burdock and Morrill.
Wild plic.—Fox.
Passea balls—Hines, 3; Kelly, 3.
Umpire—Mr. Walter Byrne.
Time of game—Two hours and forty minutes. OTHER GAMES.

NEW YORK, April 17 .- Clevelands, 4; Met-PITTSBURG, April 17 .- Allegheny, 17; Bay City, 3.

The Western Union Can Stand It. CHICAGO, April 17 .- In view of the action of the city council last night in directing the mayor to enforce the ordinance requiring all telegraph and telephone wires to be placed under ground by May 1, the evening papers to-day will publish interviews with Western Union officials, who are quoted as saying that the course outlined to be pursued may possi-bly be the quickest method of obtaining a final settlement of the question; that the wires cannot be placed under ground by any known process within the date mentioned, and that if the wires are cut the company can stand it if the business public can

Killed His Wife by Accident.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., April 17 .- About 4 o'clock this morning a man named William Dorsey, a machinist, shot his wife under distressing circumstances. He had been on the ookout for burglars and had put a pistol under his head to be ready for them. During the night his wife left the room in the dark while Dorsey was asleep. As she was coming back he awoke, and hearing a noise in the room fired in that direction. The ball struck room fired in that direction. The ball struck her in the breast and she died in a short time. Dorsey is overwhelmed with grief.

Senator Fair Denies It.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—Senator Fair denies the report telegraphed last night so far as an attempt of his son to shoot him is dated at Paso Robles Springs to prove that he is not in the city. Mrs. Fair also says her son is out of town. Mrs. Fair is occupying the family residence in the city, and the sen-

To be Finished Sefore the Canal. St. Louis, April 17.-The Globe-Democra says: The proposed ship railway across the isthmus of Tehauntepec has not been abanfoned as many suppose. Eades, the projector, states that the work is being vigorously prosecuted, and that the massive railway will be finished long before

CABLE CATCHES.

Patrick Egan, it is said, will reside permanently in America.

Sir Phillip Rose, the legal adviser of the tory party, formerly an intimate friend of Lord Beaconsfield, is dead.

At the York spring meeting yesterday Bor-der Minstrel won the great northern handi-cap. There were eight starters.

Lord Roseberry's Vista won the great me-tropolitan stakes (handicap) at the Epsom spring meeting yesterday. Five ran. The sultan of Turkey has invited Baron Von Goltz, of the German army, to reorganize the military education of the Turkish troops.

Petitions are pouring into the Austrian reichsrath against the passage of the reac-tionary school bill now under consideration. ties to-day a dispatch from the governor of
Angola was read. It stated that the French
occupied Porta Negra and Loangoon the
wenty-eighth of March. The natives pro-

A COMING PRIZE FIGHT.

The Maori to be Accommodated by An English Bruiser.

NEW YORK, April 17,-Considerable exitement prevaited in the lower ranks of sorting circles Monday evening when it became known that a match had been made beween Charles Mitchell, the English bruiser, and Herbert Shale, the imported New Zeaand pugilist. William Madden, Mitchell's acker, and Henry Rice, representing Slade, had an argument during the day in which Rice said he was willing to back Slade for Rice said he was willing to back Stade for \$2,500 a side. Madden jumped at the offer, and after securing Harry Hill, the party hired a tugboat and steamed down the bay, where, in ocean waters, in order to avoid the state law, the articles of agreement were signed and a forfeit of \$100 a side placed in Hill's hands. Madden won the tess for choice of ground and named Kansas City or a place within 100 miles of it was the spot where the ring should be pitched. Rice said he would have preferred New Orleans, but Madden refused to concede any change. During the evening a reporter met Madden and Mitchell. Mitchell laughed when spoken to on the subject, and said:
"I'm right glad to know that something has been done at last and that I shall have a fight. I shall at once begin to get ready. My training will not be very severe, as I am in pretty fair condition already. I will have to lose some flesh, of course, but that is nothing. I will not stint myself in my diet, as 1 do not believe that starvation is proper train-ing. I will exercise with Mr. Madden, and place myself entirely in his hands. I will train near New York if I can, for I like the

Madden, after calling the reporter's atten tion to the fine points of his protege, said:
"Some people that pretend to know every-thing and do not know anything have publicly said that my little one wasn't game and could not stand punishment. I say that he can stand as much as John Morrissey did in his best days, and I know just what I am

Mace did the talking for Slade, and said : "Both men are very clever, and it will be a hot fight. I shall second the Maori."

A BRUTAL MURDER.

Cold-Blooded Killing by a Jealous Husband in Brooklyn.

New York, April 17 .- The corner of Vanderbilt and Park avenues, Brooklyn, was the scene of a horrible murder late this afternoon. The murderer, Diederich Mahnken, has a grocery store at the corner where the shootng occurred, and the victim, Diederich Steffing occurred, and the victim, Diederich Steffins, was a lager beer dealer at 108 Wyth
street. Steffins for a long time had been
paying attention to Miss Annie Doscher, Mahnken's nicce, who resided
with him and his family over the
grocery store. Here Steffins visited Miss
Doscher, to whom he was engaged to be married. Mahnken was very suspicious of him,
and believed he was unduly intimate with
his wife. His wife knowing his icalousy. his wife. His wife, knowing his jealousy, got Miss Doscher to move to a friend's house, and requested Steffins to stay away. The murdered man was delivering goods opposite Mahnken's store this afternoon and crossed the street in answer to the call of a friend. He the street in answer to the call of a friend. He had hardly reached the sidewalk when Mahnken approached, holding in his haud a British "buildog" revolver. Without a word he fired five shots at Steffins, four balls enteaing his head and the fifth his left breast. Steffins dropped dead. Mahnken was arrested, and at the station house admitted his guilt. Mrs. Mahnken says her husbaud had no grounds for his jealousy, and must have been insane when he killed Steffins. The murderer is 39 years old and his victim 35.

A Deadly Duel with Dirks. Special Disputch. SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., April 17,-The following is the story of the doubly fatal fight with knives between Henry Emil Johnson, a Finn, and James Donnelly, a young man, last night: The battle was the result of an old fould that took place in a saloon in Stockton The trouble arose over the sale of a wagon which Johnson sold to Donnelly. Both men armed themselves with dirk knives as sharp as razors and met at the saloon. After a few words they stepped out to the sidewalk and began striking at each other. In a few minutes Johnson rushed into the saloon, followed Blood was spurting from the men. Johnson sat on a keg, podies of both men. exclaiming, "I'm dying. Send for a doctor and fell over dead. Donnelly dropped der at the door, stabbed through the heart. H had three stab wounds in the body and Johnson was stabbed in the breast and groin. Don-nelly was 23 years old and married, Johnson leaves a widow and two children. Both were under the influence of liquor.

Boston, April 17 .- Mrs. Abbie Barker tes tified at the Tewkesbury almshouse investigation to-day. She corroborated the previous testimony as to Dr. Lathrop's treatment of the insane patients and their dirty and neglected condition, many of them returning from the insane hospital covered with vermin from the lisane hospital covered with vermin and much poorer clothing than they took there with them. Mrs. Johanna Wing, whose husband was an inmate of the almshouse, had never any doubt that he was well cased for there. Charles B. Marsh testified that all the money unclaimed by inmates was turned over to the state. The counsel endeavored to show by his testimony that his books doctored to suit his own views. Wi were Witness would not swear that a journal beginning in 1875 was not bought within the past two years. The governor wanted a committee to examine Marsh's books to show that they had not been regularly posted, but were copied three months at a time. He said he hoped to close in three days, but if he found new evi-dence he would offer it. The investigation was then adjourned.

A Plague of Gnats.

LITTLE ROCK, ABK., April 17 .- Advices have been received here from Desha county, in this state, to the effect that one of the plagues of the south, the buffalo gnat, is plagues of the south, the buffalo gnat, is viction think it is a true statement.

doing an unprecedented amount of damage. glown has busted himself to day in wr

The destruction of unprotected horses, mules. letters to his mother, bidding his bro The destruction of unprotected horses, mules, and cattle is fearful. In the bottom lands of Desha and Chicol counties it is positively dangerous to even drive stock of any kind. dangerous to even drive stock of any kind through them, as the gnata are there by the million. In the vicinity of Chicol City on two plantations six horses and mules have been killed by them. In Bolivar county, Mississippi, directly across the river from here, nearly one hundred mules have been the country of the Miller plantation. killed by the pests. The Miller plantation, in the same county, has also lost a great many horses and mules. This year the planters in the counties named consider the damage done by the gnats as great as that done by the overflow.

A Farmer's Visit to Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, April 17 .- John Dougherty, a farmer, residing in Anne Arundel county, visited Baltimore last night, and desiring to visited Baltimore last night, and desiring to see the sights, visited a low variety hall on "Mash market" space, where he remained all night. On awaking this morning he found he had been robbed of \$35, all the money he had with him. Jennie King, one of the investes, was arrested and charged with the theft, but there being no evidence against her she was released. her she was released.

Mexico and Postal Matters.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 17.-The Interior

ment considers it advisable to expedite the ment considers it advisable to expedite the mails throughout the frontier states in connection with the American service, and recommends further inquiry pending the adoption of the Muxican code, which provides for general improvements. The report further says that the new postal system Mexico is about to establish will facilitate the issue of international money orders. It expresses an earnest desire to meet the wishes of the earnest desire to meet the wishes of the United States in everything that will improve the postal service between the two countries, and establish international money orders, which would develop trade between both

A NEW JERSEY WIDOW

Arrives in Baltimore, Looking for a Man Who Had Brought Disgrace to Her-Her Sad Story.

BALTIMORE, April 17 .- One of those old, old stories of a woman's love and shame was told, with many sobs and tears, this morning at the southern police station by the unhappy victim of a supposed lover's designs. A respectable looking woman, about 30 years of age, walked into the station house and asked one of the officers on duty what course it would be best for her to pursue in order that she might find a man who had seduced and rained her under promise of marriage and who then abandoned her. The woman gave her name as Hannah Holland, a widow with one child, and said she came from Smithville, near Mount Holly, N. J. Last summer she was employed at a farm house in that state, and there met a man named George Harrison, who was also in the employ of the owner of who was also in the employ of the owner of the place. A friendship aprang up between herself and Harrison, and on Harrison's repeated avowals of love, it was not long be-fore she fell a victim to his wiles. Soon after Harrison left the farm with the intention, as he said, of getting a situation, where the salary would be sufficient to enable him to support a wife. He came to Baltimore, and while here wrote her many letters, in which the attested his warm attachment for her and seemed to be distressed at the delay his financial circumstances occasioned to their marriage. Unable to bear the disgrace with riage. Unable to bear the disgrace with which she was threatened, she determined to come to Harrison and insist upon his marrying her. Yesterday she arrived in town and her search for the recreant Harrison began, and she did not abandon it until told by Stephen Jury, in whose care she had directed her letters to Harrison, that Harrison had gone to Havre de Grace, and then she felt that he was sluding her. She then she felt that he was cluding her. She had an old father living, from whom, how-ever, she had concealed her disgrace, seeking to spare him the blow a knowledge of the fact would give him. Now she has no friends and no money with which to get back to her home. Much sympathy was expressed for the woman by the officers and men of the southern station, and Justice Klott gave her a letter to Mr. Love the manner acceptant. a letter to Mr. Love, the mayor's secretary, a letter to Mr. Love, the mayor's secretary, asking him to give hera railway pass to her heme, "and if that fails," said the kind hearted squire, "come back here again and we'll see what we can do for you."

'Upon applying to Mr. Love the pass was promptly issued and the woman took her departure this afternoon for her father's home in New Jersey.

SALACIOUS SPRAGUE.

The Mean Lie He Told About Mrs. Sprague

in Order to Procure a Marriage License. CINCINNATI, April 17.-Judge Hoadley, of this city, and Winchester Britton, of Brooklyn, N. Y., counsel for Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague, to-day sent from here a letter to the editor of the Vindicator, of Staunton, Va., refarring to a statement published in that paper en Mar. 16, in which ex-Gov. Sprague was represented as having paid to the clerk of the court, to the commonwealth's attorney, and to Rev. J. D. Hullihon, in order to procure a to perform the ceremony, that he brought suit against Mrs. Sprague for divorce on the ground of sdultery; that she answered, charging him with the same offense; that afterwards she withdrew her charges against him, but his remained and he was granted a divorce on the ground named in his petition, and that the court divided the custody of the children. For the sake of accuracy the minister reduced the above statement to writing. Counsel say they can hardly believe it possible that such a perversion of facts could have been made, but that they have seen no contradiction. They ask the editor of the Vindicator to publish the facts as they are, in justice to Mrs. Sprague. They then recite that Mrs. Sprague brought suit for a divorce in Rhode Island, charging adultery, cruelty, and fallure to support, Gov. Sprague answering by a cross bill charging her with adultry. She prepared proof to support all her allega-tions, but on the trial Gov. Sprague and coun sel proposed that if Mrs. Sprague would waive proof as to his adultery, he would withdraw his petition and permit the case to proceed on the milder charge of non support. This proposition was accepted. A decree of divorce was granted Mrs. Sprague on this ground, and she was given the custody of the younger three children, the other child being under the laws of Rhode Island not subject to the control of the court. In view of all the facts, counsel say they have advised Mrs. Sprague to avail herself of the permission of the court to re-

sume her maiden name. MORRISTOWN, N. J., April 17 .- James Treglown, who is to be executed here to-morrow sor the murder of Minnie Chergwin, has confessed that the statements made by him, at the time of the trial, against his victim were false, and that he never knew anything det-rimental to her character. He confesses to having followed Minnie and Harry James, his rival, along the towpath and to having attempted to shoot James, but his revolver missed fire the first time and Minnie, stepping between himself and James, received the sec-ond shot. In the struggle both rolled in the canal and when he disengaged her arms from around his neck she was dead. He then made two attempts at suicide, one bullet, which was extracted after his arrest, having lodged back of the ear. Sheriff Howell and those who have been with him since his congood by, and in conversatson with his spirit-

Scheller Acquitted in Milwaukee. MILWAUKEE, April 17 .- The jury this afternoon acquitted Scheller. Five ballots were taken. During all the balloting but one of the jurors was for conviction, and he finally gave in because Judge Mallory instructed him that if there was any doubt in his mind he must give the prisoner the benefit of the doubt. The court room echoed with cheers when the verdict was aunounced, and hundreds of por-sons crowded about Scheller to grasp his hand, The jury was out two hours.

Mississippi Republicans. NEW ORLEANS, April 17 .- The Picayune's Jackson, Miss., special says John R. Lynch. chairman of the republican state central committee, has called a meeting of republican leaders from different parts of the state at ter among the republican faction led by Chalmers, they having called a meeting of republicans for July 4. Jackson June 12. This action creates a flut-

The Press Gang's Wants.

CINCINNATI, April 17 .- The Dramatic Festival association are finding serious d'Moulty department publishes a report relative to the communications made to Congressman Mo-Lean, of St. Louis, by the United States general postal department regarding the postal relations with Mexico. The Interior department of the country. The sale of single tickets, which is now proceeding, shows a preference for the "Julius Caesar" and "Hamlet" performances.

AT THE INFANTRY FAIR.

The Skating Rink Again Crowded With a Brilliant Assemblage,

Who Contribute to the Prospect of an Armory for Our Soldier Boys.

The Persuasive Bioquence of Fair Ladies Brings Many a Dollar to the Treasury.

Scenes and Incidents in the Fair Room-How the Voting Stands.

The scene at the Washington Light Infantry fair last night was more brilliant and animated than on the preceding evening. Angry nature had dried its tears and the streets leading to the rink were alive with strings of visitors wending their way to the rink. Between 8:30 and 9:30 o'clock the crowd in the building was so dense that promenading was difficult, but the pretty young ladies with the inevitable books managed to make chance seeking journeys through the throng scattering smiles and gathering dimes. Probably the first impression one receives on entering the rink is the number of pretty women whose faces flit among the sea of moving heads. Almost any one can find his or her ideal of feminine beauty among them, and an ascetic of high re-cord is pretty liable to fly the track of severe bachelorism if he spends many moments in

the rink, Spending moments there also means spend-ing money. One may tie his purse strings in every conceivable style of kuot, and enter the room with a firm intention to guard his finances as religiously as he guards his wife, but a fair girl, with a pair of the most expressively melting eyes that ever wrinkled, will sidle up to him bashfully, lisp out a shy request, and give him a light-up-my-life-forawhile glance, and those knots will be loosened so quickly that it will be hard to realize they ever were tied. THE REPUBLICAN man saw lots of individuals going home ladened down with articles that they had purchased which they couldn't, for the life of them tall what they wan wint a do will purchased which they couldn't, for the life of them, tell what they were going to do with. They only knew they had squandered their money when under the spell of some bewitch-ing girl. The spinning jenny booth was, of course, the shrine that attretted the most at-tention, and the spaces between the whirrs of the wheel were filled up with the cheery voices of the paddle sellers inviting the crowd to try its luck. During the early part of the evening the marine band occupied the gallery above the spinning jenny, but afterward changed its quarters to the gallery at the

evening the marine band occupied the gallery above the spinning jenny, but afterward changed its quarters to the gallery at the north end of the rink.

The scales on the east side of the room were quite well patronized last night, pretty Mrs. Schooley, in a Mother Hubbard dress of the latest fashionable but ugly red color, being the presiding genius and the way should be used to be a supplied to the presiding genius and the way should be used to be a supplied to the supplie ing the presiding genius, and the way she weighed was highly attractive. Small men and big men fell in her way and were weighed, Thin women and fat women tried the balance, and the fair India was not found wanting, Mrs. George A. Sheehan, who wields sway

Mrs. George A. Sheehan, who wields sway over the art exhibit annex, proves, by her affability of manner, far more attractive than any of the crayon or art paintings that adorn the walls of the gallery proper. To prove that the spring has come there were a number of the young ladies who were attired in the loveliest of azure hues, looking like veritable blue birds, while their soft voices pleading for chances were far more entrancing than the spring songsters.

The fair girl who created a sensation on Monday night, in a wine colored velvet dress, looked even more lovely last evening in a

looked even more lovely last evening in a lavender robe, with soft filing lace at the throat, her bright eyes rivaling in brilliancy the diamonds that glittered in her cars and flashed from her taper fingers. Her book was filled with autographs, each one repre-

senting "ten cents a peop."

Several new assistants appeared at the various booths, among them being Miss Katie V. Reedy, whose persuasive eloquence dimin-ished the stock of goods at the grocery booths in a substantial manner.

The lemonade business was lively, for elbowing one's way through a crowd and being jammed and squeezed by a surging mass of humanity causes perspiration and engenders thirst. The beverage is better than is usually found at fairs, and, besides, the ven-

dors are far more enticing.

The infantry boys last night appeared in fatigue uniform, and so there were not the brilliant contrasts of color that were seen or the opening night, but the ladies displayed far more elaborate toilets, many full evening dresses being worn. The following musica programme was rendered, and every selection

received applause: Weingarten

The Knapsack is the name of the sprightly paper which Mr. J. T. Bivins is publishing in the interest of the fair. It is a smart quarto, with fair news, accurate lists, pictures, peetry, and stories, and smacks of the restless and energetic spirit in its projector and edi-

There were no casualties of any kind, and the only incidents were pleasant ones. There was only one cynic in the room, and one of the very few ancient young ladies who were soliciting chances coyly approached him and requested him to take a chance in something to be raffled at her table.

"Certainly. Here's your ten cents," he said, but she still lingered. Pretty soon she softly gurgled : The scene is very brilliant," isn't it? "Very," he answered, sententiously.
"Don't you think there are some pretty

young girls here?" she ventured.
"Yes," he said; "and there are some protty
old ones here, too." She looked as though she didn't exactly know what he meaut, and moved off to think

it over. One of the most successful money makers at the fair is a tall, slight girl, with more energy than her frame denotes. She picks out a man who looks as though he might have a mint somewhere about his person and she makes a graceful sweep down upon him.

"Gimme ten cents?" is her demand, in a tone that brooks no refusal. "But Miss —"
"No buts, sir. Quick, I'm in a hurry, gimme me ten cents," and like the Ancient Mariner she holds the individual with her

Mariner she holds the individual with her giltering eye until he pans out.

Some kind hearted person, with an eye to propriety, has put clothes on the Japanese baby that swung in grotesque nudity near the supper room door on Monday night. This was proper. A naked baby is sadly out of place in a fair room, and, indeed, can only be said to be in its element when kicking in the bath tab.

The voting for the candidates for the various articles was very animated, but the votes were not placed upon the blackboards, as the majority of them will be field back until the last nights of the fair. The diamond corps pin for the most popular member will doubt-less excite the most snimated contest, as the friends of Messrs. Bauer, Dyer, and Cowie are determined that their candidate shall win. Mr. Johnny Ellinger and S. A. Curtis will been the votes for the Elk pin. and as both gentlemen are popular a very large amount of money will be realized from it. There are quiet whispers that a dark Elk his brains on account of despondency.

will be entered before the race begins in reality, and cut out the running for the other two. The following record of votes was black-boarded at the fair last night:

THE VOTING. Gold watch and chain for the most popular drug clerk—Thomas C. Kell, 60; S. Edgar Mahan, 10; Tom Howard, 4; Ben Suter, 3;

H. E. Barrett, 2.
Gibson Bros, solid silver, gold mounted, composing stick for the most popular printer—W. F. Nathers, 20.
Pair of scales for the most popular butter

Pair of scales for the most popular butter enter—Walter G. Coburn, 10.
Desk for the most popular newspaper man—Harry L. West, 12; Charles T. Murray, 7;
John B. McCarthy, 4.
Gold pen and pencil for the most popular bank messenger—George Dodson, 4; William Cox, 3; Mr. Dove, 3.
Base ball outfit for the most popular base ball club—Nationals, 3; Waverly, 5; Crescents, 7.

cents, 7. ... Steam chime whistle for the most popular steamer or tug—George Leary, 3, Mattano, 2; Arrowsmith, 5; W. W. Corcoran, 9; Ar-menia, 14; Jane Mosely, 3; Excelsior, 5; Lady of the Lake, 2; J. W. Thompson, 4;

Suc, 2.

But ther scales for the most popular butcher—
M. Homiller, 4; William Hoover, 6; John R. Kelley, 7; George Noble, 4.

Bettile barrel gun for the most popular p : 8 man —W. W. Eldridge, 12; Sergt. John-

Solid silver badge for the most popular policeman—Officer Tip Harlow, 7; Lieut. Arnold, 9; Sergt. Johnson, 4.

Diamond corps badge for the most popular member of the corps—J. T. Dyer, 80; H. E. Baner, 10; J. G. Cowie, 3.

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Bauer, 10; J. G. Cewie, 3.

Diamond Elk pin for the most popular member of the Elks—Johnny Ellinger, 20; Mr. Rathbone, 3; S. A. Cartis, 7.

Windsor speeding wagon donated by George W. Joyce—G. Thomas Noyes, 7; E. H. Neumeyer, 8; Fred Giesiking, 10; Thomas Lutzul, 7.

The Woodbury gold headed cane for the most popular honorary member-W. H. Clag-

Silver punch bowl and ladle for the most popular hotel or saloon—T. A. Sullivan, 10; Riggs house, 4; Ebbitt house, 3; S. Aman, 7; M. V. Tierney, 5.

Kimball organ for the most popular wife of an honorary member of the corps—Mrs. Geo. F. Timms, 5; Mrs. C. W. Howard, 9. Silver composing stick for the most popular printer's apprentice—C. P. Boss, 2½; J. T. Clements, 1; J. F. Kearney, 2½. Gold watch and chain for the most popular

driver of an ice wagou-J. T. Hutchinson, 50; M. Kinslow, 60. Barber's chair and shaving kit for the most popular barber—S. S. Brooks, 220; Robert Wilson, 13; Carter Stewart, 9; Joe Shor-

Complete set of fishing tackle for the most popular fisherman—D. J. V. Connors, 10; William H. Mills, 40; Thomas Russell, 5; H. E. Davis, 7; Levi Woodbury, 8. Morgan & Kennedy's single shell for the most popular oarsman—Robert Wade, of the Columbia club, 20.

FLOODS IN VIRGINIA.

Damage by the Rising Waters at Peters-

burg and Other Points in the State. PETERSBURG, Va., April 17.-This city and its vicinity were visited last night by a tremendous wind storm, which continued without intermission until this morning. Such a storm has not been witnessed here for years. In the adjacent counties the fences were demolished and a number of orchard trees de-stroyed. It is feared that great damage was done to barns and outhouses. The telegraph wires at different points were blown down The Appomattox river is very high and is rising rapidly.

RICHMOND, VA., April 17.—A heavy north-

casterly gale has prevailed here since yester-day, and up to noon to-day it had not abated. Considerable damage has been done by the roofed and trees and fences blown down The rainfall for the past 24 hours is 2,20 inches.
Percessurg, Va., April 17.—The river is

over the wharves. Large quantities of wood are floating down the stream. creeks are greatly swellen and many county bridges are washed away. Intelligence re-ceived to-night reports the Appomattox river at Farmville three feet above the ordinary water mark and still rising.
LYNCHBURG, VA., April 17.—Two unknown

men were carried over the water works dam here to-day in a small boat and have not been seen since. It is feared they were drowned, as the river is much swollen and the current is swift by reason of the heavy storm yester-day, which prevailed here and all through outhwestern Virginia. Persons who saw the boat carried over report that the men sank

A Court Scene in Petersburg. Petersburg, Va., April 17.—Marshall O. Robinett, employed by the Norfolk and Western Railway company, who was arrested vesterday for making a murderous assault on mes Evans, was arraigned for trial to-day in the mayor's court, and acquitted on the ground of self defense. An immense crowd was present at the examination, and when the prisoner was acquitted the crowd began to cheer, but were promptly checked by the court. Evans still remains in a comatose state, and has not spoken since Sunday night.

The physicians say he cannot recover

New York Republicans. NEW YORK, April 17.-The republican cen- . tral committee to-night adopted resolutions inviting suggestions from all parties desirous of forming one harmonious and earnest or-ganization of the republican party in this city. A committee was appointed to receive

these suggestions and report a plan for an organization. The committee includes John J. O'Brien, Col. Charles Spencer, William Dowd, Lloyd Aspinwall, Chauncey M. Depew, Theodore Dwight, Elliot F. Shephard, Whitelaw Reid, George Jones, Hugh Hastings, and Senator Jones's Visit. NEW YORK, April 17.-Hon. Charles W.

Jones, United States senator from Florida,

left to-day for Liverpool by the steamer Wisconsin. It is his intention to make an ex-tended tour abroad and visit the different foreign capitals, returning to America in the Honors to Edwin Booth.

VIENNA, April 17.-Mr. Edwin Booth ended his engagement here to-night. His acting was loudly applauded, and at the close of the performance he was presented with floral wreaths, the stars and stripes and the colors of the city of Vienns.

TELEGRAPHIC TALK. -The case of Maj. Phipps, the almshouse cobber of Philadelphia, will be heard next

Friday. -There is no truth in the big meteor story elegraphed from Fort Worth. 'The story was utterly baseless.

-Richard Stevenson killed his brother Aaron with an ax at Poolesville, Warron county, Indiana.

-The governor general and the Princess Louise arrived at Ottawa yesterday and were handsomely received.

-Sanford R. Haskell, of the Albany, N. Y., iron and machine works, has made an assign ment to Peter S. Haskell. -Four ships, Gettysburg, Southern Chief, Piger, and Connaught, were blown ashore it

the harbor of Victoria, B. C. -The wife of Frank Mordaunt, the actor. has applied for a limited divorce. She wants allmony, counsel fees, and the child.